

In 2001, Evansville news station WEVV shut down its news department. This month, WFIE (NBC) effectively bought WTVW (FOX) through a company called GNS media (owned by a former employee of WFIE-owned Liberty). Thus, the town of Evansville goes from four tv news stations in 2001 to effectively two (yes, WTVW will still run news, but there will be no auspices of competition).

I refuse to see how this is beneficial to the citizens of Evansville. Businesswise, one company owns effectively 2/3 of the tv media market - is that good for a small town like Evansville?